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ASKS BANK TO RECEIVE FUNDS

Democratic Acting Chairman Makes General Request.

SENDS LETTERS BROADCAST

Financial Institutions Are Invited to Receive Campaign Contributions for Democratic, Republican and Progressive Parties and Forward the Amounts to the Several Political Headquarters.

New York, Aug. 19.—Banks and trust companies throughout the country are asked by the Democratic national committee to receive and transmit subscriptions to the campaign funds not only of the Democratic but of the Republican and Progressive parties.

The plan is in pursuance of the popular subscription idea. Acting Chairman McAdoo made it known by giving out a statement embodying a letter which he announced he had sent to every bank and trust company in the United States requesting them to agree to receive and forward subscriptions to each of the three parties named. He accompanied his letter to the banks with a letter from Governor Woodrow Wilson, who declared that "to bring about the election of a president through a campaign financed by popular subscriptions would be a distinct and gratifying triumph."

In his letter Mr. McAdoo expressed the idea that the popular subscription movement was directly in the line of freeing presidential campaigns "from the suspicion of sinister influences," and declared that the Democratic party favored "the financing of presidential campaigns by the people themselves."

He urged the need of convenient and responsible agencies for the receipt of subscriptions and asked the banks and trust companies to perform "the same patriotic service" that the newspapers already had undertaken.

Patriotic Service to Public.
"Will you agree to receive and transmit subscriptions to the Democratic national committee, the Republican national committee and Progressive national committee?" the letter continued. "Speaking for the Democratic national committee I could not ask you to act for one unless for all. This must be a patriotic service to the public and not to any one party. Each day a list of the banks agreeing to act will be given to the press."
"In order that you may know the attitude of Governor Wilson in regard to popular subscriptions I enclose copy of a letter from him on this subject, just received."

The letter from Governor Wilson, dated at Seagirt, N. J., Aug. 7 and addressed to Mr. McAdoo, reads:

"To bring about the election of a president through a campaign financed by popular subscriptions would be a distinct and gratifying triumph. It would strikingly evidence the renewed supremacy of the people and would mean the permanent emancipation of our government from those selfish influences which have too long been relied upon to furnish the campaign funds in return for favors to be bestowed. I am in hearty sympathy with every effort that may contribute to such a result."

"The idea back of the proposed contribution movement is thoroughly commendable and I hope that you and your associates will push it and make it an effective instrument for the attainment of so praiseworthy an object."

BADGER MOOSE TO CONVENE

Gathering Will Be Held in Milwaukee Next Month.

Milwaukee, Aug. 19.—The bull moose of Wisconsin will hold a state convention in Milwaukee next month. This was decided at a conference of leaders at Milwaukee. About twenty-five, nearly all from Milwaukee, were present. Norman L. Baker, chairman of the state committee, presided.

The exact date for the state convention was not decided on, though it was understood that it probably would be Wednesday, Sept. 13, during the week of the state fair. It was held that the fair would bring in thousands of persons from the state, as Wednesday always is State day.

Railway Casualties Increase.

Washington, Aug. 19.—Two hundred and sixty-seven persons were killed and 4,785 injured in train accidents during the months of January, February and March of the present year, according to statistics made public by the interstate commerce commission. These figures show an increase of 121 killed and 1,555 injured over the figures for the same period last year.

Two Drown in Drainage Ditch.

Ametsburg, Ia., Aug. 19.—John Compton and Maynard Coddington, both seventeen years old, sons of farmers living near here, were drowned while swimming in a deep drainage ditch. It is believed they were seized with cramps.

DISCUSS PANAMA CANAL MEASURE

President and Cabinet Fail to Reach a Decision.

BILL MAY RECEIVE APPROVAL

Taft's Present Inclination Is to Sign the Measure, but He Is Anxious to Have Provision Made for Legal Tests of the Matter of Free Tolls for American Ships—Will Confer With Congressional Leaders.

Washington, Aug. 19.—Over the White House coffee cups President Taft and his cabinet discussed the Panama canal bill and the question of a possible presidential veto of the measure. Every member of Mr. Taft's official family who was in town was present and the discussion lasted an hour after luncheon time, but no decision was reached.

The president's inclination, it was said, is to approve the bill, but he is anxious to have provision made for a legal test of the matter of free tolls for American ships. The cabinet was understood to agree with him that there is basis for believing the bill with the free tolls clause in it, is not in conformity with the Hay-Pauncefote treaty.

When the conference was over the president was still of the opinion that the best way to test the bill's agreement with the treaty was to have the United States supreme court pass upon it. He will confer with senate and house leaders in the next few days and will devote most of his own time to pondering over this one bill. Most of the Republican leaders in both houses and probably some of the leading Democrats will be called into consultation and the bill will be gone over with care.

The president was told that it probably is too late to amend the bill and that the action he may take must be in the form of a veto unless he can get Republican and Democratic leaders to agree on a joint resolution to be passed later that would show that the United States had no intention, in passing this measure, of abrogating the existing treaty with Great Britain. Such a resolution would permit foreign steamship companies to test in the United States courts the act's validity under the Hay-Pauncefote treaty.

COLONEL PLANS LONG TRIP

Itinerary Brings Him to Northwest Next Month.

New York, Aug. 19.—The greater part of the circle which Colonel Roosevelt will swing around campaigning during September is described by an itinerary just made public. The program thus far arranged takes the colonel into New England on Labor day, then a jump to St. Louis, a day in St. Paul, then into North Dakota, Montana, Washington, Oregon, Idaho, Utah, Nevada, California, Arizona, New Mexico and Colorado in succession. From Denver Colonel Roosevelt will come East through Kansas, Oklahoma and Arkansas to Memphis. His itinerary from Memphis back to New York will be announced later. His Northwest dates are:

Keokuk, Mount Zion, Eldon, Ottumwa, Oskaloosa and Des Moines, Ia., Sept. 4.
St. Paul (state fair), Sept. 5.
Fargo and Jamestown, N. D., Sept. 6.
Billings, Livingston, Bozeman, Logan and Helena, Mont. (state convention), Sept. 7.
Missoula, Mont., and Spokane, Wash., Sept. 8.

ISSUES CONVENTION CALL

Colonel to Attend North Dakota Progressives' Gathering.

Fargo, N. D., Aug. 19.—A call for the second North Dakota third party convention in Fargo Sept. 6 was issued by Dorr H. Carroll of Minot, chairman of the state central committee. Theodore Roosevelt will address the convention.

The convention will place a complete third state ticket in nomination for presentation to the electors in November. In accordance with the vote of the executive committee each county will be entitled to eight votes, consisting of the state central committee and secretaries of the county central committees and their alternates. One woman delegate from each county also will be seated. Each local organization will appoint its own delegates. Double delegations will be seated in many cases, each member having half a vote.

Watches Burglar Steal.

Atlantic City, N. J., Aug. 19.—Not daring to awaken her husband for fear he might be shot and killed, Mrs. Walter F. Klemm, wife of a Philadelphia banker with a summer home at Chelsea, lay awake and watched a burglar steal jewelry valued at more than \$6,000 from a dressing table in her bedroom.

ALTON B. PARKER.

Will Notify Governor
Marshall of Nomination.



EVENT OCCURS ON TUESDAY

Governor Marshall Will Be Notified of Nomination.

Indianapolis, Aug. 19.—Governor Thomas R. Marshall will be officially notified that he is the choice of the Democratic party for vice president of the United States at 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon and the event is expected to bring one of the most notable gatherings of Democrats ever held in Indianapolis. Weather permitting the ceremonies will be held in the open.

Thomas Taggart, national committeeman of Indiana, will give a luncheon at his hotel for the distinguished visitors Tuesday noon and this will be followed by a parade of the downtown streets. Mr. Taggart will introduce Judge Alton B. Parker of New York, chairman of the notification committee, who will formally notify the Indiana governor of his nomination.

CONGRESS LIKELY TO ADJOURN THIS WEEK

Several Important Bills Still Await Action.

Washington, Aug. 19.—Important legislation that must be acted on before congress adjourns stands as follows:

Panama canal bill, before the president.
Legislative, executive and judicial appropriation bills, approved by the house and now before the senate, with provision abolishing the commerce court.

Naval, sundry civil and army appropriation bills, in conference between the two houses.
General deficiency appropriation bill, before the senate committee on appropriations.

Indian appropriation bill, conference report pending in the senate.
While adjournment is expected this week the date is generally conceded to depend upon the president's attitude toward the Panama canal bill and the legislative, executive and judicial appropriation bill. His veto of the latter measure last week was based upon its provisions for the abolishment of the commerce court and the establishment of a seven-year tenure in the civil service; and the house has again risked the veto by passing the measure with the commerce court provision in it. The senate will determine early in the week whether it will endorse the measure in this form.

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OBJECTED TO MANY VETOES.

Congress Resented Free Use of President's Power.

THREATENED TO RETALIATE.

Talked of Using "Power of the Purse." Herding of Negroes in "Bull Pen." "Kid" Senators Get Into the Game Early—Defending "Spoils System." Organized Support of Pensioners.

By ARTHUR W. DUNN.

Washington, Aug. 19.—[Special.]—President Taft's freedom with the veto privilege did not enhance his popularity in congress. This does not refer so much to his vetoes of the tariff bills, because that was politics pure and simple, but his veto of other measures, several times simply upon the recommendation of a cabinet officer, provoked a great deal of criticism.

The old question arose as to whether a president should veto a bill that did not contain anything fundamental in its provisions simply because he was not in favor of it and would have voted against it if he had been a member of congress and was discussed at some length. The fact that the president's veto was overturned in a few cases shows the temper of congress on these subjects.

"Power of Purse."

In connection with the veto bills there was also discussed the propriety of placing legislation on appropriation bills in order to coerce the executive into approving measures which he would otherwise veto. Senator Williams of Mississippi, who was so long in the house that he still clings to the traditions of that body, was emphatic in his declaration that the house had the right to exercise it, and pointed out that all great governmental reforms had been brought about in just that way when opposed by a stubborn executive.

And it must be acknowledged that the temper of congress at this session has been in the direction of asserting the right of the representatives of the people to secure legislation they want by using the "power of the purse."

Howard Humorous.

After several Republicans had told what they knew of the manner in which the convention at Chicago in June had been conducted Congressman Howard of Georgia took a humorous view of the subject. "I rise in my place to defend the Georgia nigger as much as anything else," he remarked early in his speech. But before he closed he told of how the southern negroes were tempted by being given half of a \$1,000 bill with the promise of the other half if they voted right. He said that he had been told that the darkies had been herded in a "bull pen."

But Howard was confident that all that happened would tend toward Democratic success. "We congressmen," he declared, "are going to have something to say to those that shall hand out to our sweet women and pretty girls of the south their letters in the future. Your grandchildren will be gray headed and snaggle toothed before you ever see another Republican in the White House."

"You must have been reading the Congressional Record," retorted Burke of South Dakota, "for that statement has appeared there regularly every four years."

All the new senators, with one exception, have been heard in the debates in the senate. The newest of all, Massey of Nevada, is one of the lawyer acquisitions, and he talks on legal questions. Fall of New Mexico is so well informed on Mexican conditions that he is quite frequently in the debates. He also has ideas about other things which he gives to the senate.

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WILLIAM H. LEWIS.

Colored Lawyer May Not Get Into the Bar Association.



COMMITTEE REMAINS FIRM

Favors Barring Negroes From American Bar Association.

New York, Aug. 19.—The question whether negro attorneys shall be admitted to the American Bar association will be submitted for decision to the annual meeting of the organization next week at Milwaukee. The executive committee of the association made public a special report regarding the election to membership of three negroes, which was rescinded afterward. This report will be presented at the annual meeting as a basis for action.

The question first became prominent last January when the executive committee reconsidered its action in electing to membership William H. Lewis, a United States assistant attorney general, on the ground that such action had been taken "in ignorance of material facts." The facts were that Lewis was a negro.

The committee in its report declines to recede from the stand thus taken.

SEIZE TWO VILLAGES IN BERANE DISTRICT

Christians Said to Be Plundering in Albania.

Cettinje, Montenegro, Aug. 19.—Christian insurgents have seized two villages in the Berane district of Albania, near the Montenegrin frontier, and also plundered Berane itself, according to reports that reached this city. Following this the Turkish troops, using artillery, destroyed a number of Christian villages lying in the plains, while other detachments of Turkish troops burned the houses of Christian residents.

The Christian rebels also razed three Turkish blockhouses on the Montenegrin frontier.
The fighting in the vicinity of Berane lasted throughout the day and into the night. Many wounded were brought across the Montenegrin border.

The Turkish authorities are said to have threatened to exterminate the Christian population, which is in revolt in the district bordering on Montenegro.

MAY ESCAPE SECOND TRIAL

Uncertainty Regarding Case of Clarence S. Darrow.

Los Angeles, Cal., Aug. 19.—An air of uncertainty surrounds the disposition of the second indictment against Clarence S. Darrow, who was found not guilty of seeking corruptly to influence the vote of George N. Lockwood, a prospective juror in the McNamara case, notwithstanding the announcement of District Attorney Fredericks that the Chicago lawyer would be tried again. The second indictment alleges that Mr. Darrow bribed Robert F. Bain, the first juror sworn to try the McNamara case. District Attorney Fredericks reiterated his intention to bring Darrow to trial on the Bain indictment, but he declined to say what date he would recommend for the trial.

The impression prevails that, because of the length and the cost of the trial just ended and the rapidity with which the jury reached its verdict, there will be no further trial of Darrow.

EARTHQUAKE IN NEW MEXICO

Buildings Damaged at Williams, but No Lives Lost.

Albuquerque, N. M., Aug. 19.—According to a dispatch just received Williams, Ariz., 400 miles west of here, was severely shaken by an earthquake. Buildings were damaged and windows broken. The shocks were felt as far east as Winslow, 100 miles. Holbrook, a town nearby, also was severely shaken.
It is not thought any lives were lost.

NEW RULES FOR FEDERAL COURTS

WOMAN REBEL LEADS RAID

Compels Stores to Furnish Arms and Other Supplies.

Juarez, Mex., Aug. 19.—Clad in a man's khaki riding suit the young and beautiful wife of the rebel Colonel Lazro Alanis put herself at the head of a band of insurgents and after compelling contributions of arms, horses and supplies, rode off to join her husband. Colonel Alanis is operating in the vicinity of Palomas, it is said.

Senora Alanis rode from store to store and dismounting strode in and demanded what she needed to outfit her followers. None of the shopkeepers resisted.

RETURNS TO OYSTER BAY

Roosevelt Pleased With Trip to Rhode Island and Massachusetts.

Oyster Bay, N. Y., Aug. 19.—Delighted with his reception in Rhode Island and Massachusetts, Colonel Roosevelt returned to Oyster Bay to remain at home until Wednesday, when he leaves for Wilkesbarre, Pa.

"It was a surprise to me," said Colonel Roosevelt, in speaking of the sight of the crowds and the manner in which they cheered him. "I was greatly impressed by my reception in Providence and the meeting on the Boston Common was even more remarkable."

BAD STORM IN MICHIGAN

Two Men Killed and Much Property Destroyed.

Niles, Mich., Aug. 19.—Two men are known to be dead and property damaged to the extent of many thousands of dollars as the result of a terrific rain and electrical storm which struck Niles. Train service on the Michigan Central road to and from Chicago was interrupted. Other roads also sustained damage. A number of freight cars were washed into the St. Joseph river.

Herman Villwock and Otto Feather were killed by lightning while standing in Feather's barn.

Knew His Place.

"Yes," said the determined looking woman, "I might manage to hand you a bite to eat if you'll saw and chop a good pile of stove wood and bring in a few buckets of water and chop the weeds out of the garden and fix up the fence."
"Lady," replied Meandering Mike, "I'm only a hungry wayfarer. I ain't yer husband."—Washington Star.

RESULTS ON THE DIAMOND

American Association.

St. Paul 0, 3; Toledo 1, 2.
Minneapolis 8, 0; Columbus 1, 1.
Louisville 5, 5; Kansas City 1, 10.
Milwaukee 5, Indianapolis 3.

Standing of the Clubs—Minneapolis, .836; Columbus, .636; Toledo, .606; Kansas City, .492; Milwaukee, .480; St. Paul, .451; Louisville, .367; Indianapolis, .336.

National League.

New York 11, St. Louis 1.
Chicago, 6, 5; Philadelphia 10, 1.
Boston 5, Cincinnati 2.

Standing of the Clubs—New York, .706; Chicago, .652; Pittsburgh, .607; Philadelphia, .491; Cincinnati, .468; St. Louis, .450; Brooklyn, .355; Boston, .278.

GRAIN AND PROVISION PRICES

South St. Paul Live Stock.

South St. Paul, Aug. 19.—Cattle—Steers, \$6.00@8.50; cows and heifers, \$3.25@7.00; calves, \$3.00@8.00; feeders, \$3.50@6.25. Hogs—\$8.05@8.30. Sheep—Lambs, \$3.00@6.40; wethers, \$3.50@3.85; ewes, \$1.25@3.50.

Duluth Wheat and Flax.

Duluth, Aug. 19.—Wheat—On track—No. 1 hard, \$1.05½; No. 1 Northern, \$1.04½; No. 2 Northern, 98½¢; to arrive, No. 1 Northern, 96½¢; No. 2 Northern, 97½¢; Sept., 94½¢; Dec., 84¢. Flax—On track, \$1.87; to arrive, \$1.85; Sept., \$1.82; Oct., \$1.73.

Chicago Grain and Provisions.

Chicago, Aug. 19.—Wheat—Sept., 93½¢; Dec., 93½¢; May, 97½¢. Corn—Sept., 69½¢@69½¢; Dec., 54¢; May, 53½¢. Oats—Sept., 32½¢; Dec., 32½¢; May, 34½¢. Pork—Sept., \$18.20; Jan., \$19.05@19.07. Butter—Creameries, 22¢@24¢; dairies, 21¢@23¢. Eggs—14½¢@19¢. Poultry—Turkeys, 13¢; chickens, 12½¢; springs, 16¢.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Aug. 19.—Cattle—Beefers, \$5.75@10.40; Texas steers, \$5.00@6.85; Western steers, \$6.25@9.00; stockers and feeders, \$4.55@7.30; cows and heifers, \$2.65@8.15; calves, \$6.50@9.75. Hogs—Light, \$8.15@8.70; mixed, \$7.75@8.70; heavy, \$7.60@8.55; rough, \$7.60@7.85; pigs, \$5.75@8.25. Sheep—Native, \$2.15@4.35; yearlings, \$4.30@5.50; lambs, \$4.25@7.15.

Minneapolis Grain.

Minneapolis, Aug. 19.—Wheat—Sept., 92½¢; Dec., 92½¢; May, 97½¢. Cash close on track: No. 1 hard, \$1.06½; No. 1 Northern, \$1.06½; to arrive, \$1.00½; No. 2 Northern, \$1.04½; to arrive, 98½¢; No. 3 Northern, \$1.00½; No. 3 yellow corn, 76¢@76½¢; No. 4 corn, 73¢@75¢; No. 3 white oats, 30¼¢@30½¢; to arrive, 30¢; No. 3 oats, 27¼¢@28½¢; barley, 37¢@65¢; flax, \$1.90; to arrive, \$3.82.

Three Supreme Tribunal Judges Busy Revising System.

REFER TO EQUITY PRACTICE

Chief Justice White and Associate Justices Lurton and Van Devanter Are Laboring to Carry Out Determination of Presiding Judge, Who Regards Present Rules as Instruments of Delay.

Washington, Aug. 19.—With the aid of an elaborate card index system three members of the supreme court of the United States are laboring this summer over a new set of rules for equity practice in federal courts which are expected to almost revolutionize the work of these tribunals.

The three are Chief Justice White and Associate Justices Lurton and Van Devanter. They expect to be able during the next term of court to lay before the full court the result of their labors. Once the court has given its approval the new rules will be promulgated for enforcement throughout the federal courts of the United States.

This work is the result of a determination of Chief Justice White, settled upon soon after he became the head of the court. He regarded the present rules, unamended through the decades, as instruments of delay and invitations to tremendous cost bills.

Thousands of suggestions for amendments to the present rules have been received by the court committee of three through its secretary, W. J. Hughes of the department of justice. They came from judges, bar associations and individual lawyers. The suggestions were copied in triplicate, indexed and Chief Justice White and Associate Justices Lurton and Van Devanter each was furnished with a set.

KILLS WIFE AND HER MOTHER

Illinois Man Desperate Because Deprived of Seeing Child.

Ashton, Ill., Aug. 19.—A quarrel over the custody of a seven-year-old daughter caused Warren Sanders to shoot and kill his wife, Westanna Sanders, and his mother-in-law, Mrs. George Griffith, while the four were at the Chicago and Northwestern depot. Many persons witnessed the double tragedy. Mrs. Griffith was shot three times and Mrs. Sanders once. Both died almost instantly.

After the shooting Sanders walked to a telephone exchange and called Sheriff C. P. Reid at Dixon. When the sheriff arrived Sanders was waiting for him. His excuse for the crime was that he had become desperate over being deprived of the child.

MEN TO APPEAL TO MAYOR

Negotiations in Chicago Street Car Dispute Broken Off.

Chicago, Aug. 19.—Negotiations between the street car companies over the wage scales and working conditions are broken off. Officials of the carmen's union asked Mayor Harrison to try to bring about a settlement. He has consented.

Employees of the elevated lines will ballot on the strike question.

Surface lines employees voted several weeks ago by a decisive majority to strike if their demands were not granted. Elevated employees, like the surface car men, demand a new wage scale and working conditions.

Union men are confident that Mayor Harrison will be able to aid in effecting a settlement.

BIG STORM DAMAGE IN IOWA

Railways, Crops and Buildings Suffer in Northeastern Section.

Dubuque, Ia., Aug. 19.—Extensive damage was done in northeastern Iowa by a severe rain, wind and electrical storm. Railroads and interurban lines were crippled in every direction by washouts and weakened tracks. Bridges were made unsafe in many places. Crops were flattened to earth over parts of several counties. Later reports may increase the damage to crops.

In Dubuque and nearby towns streets were flooded, outbuildings were undermined or upset, basements were filled with water and trees were broken.

So far as reported no lives were lost.

BUSY WEEK ON FOR WILSON

Will Make Several Speeches and Attend Baby Parade.

Seagirt, N. J., Aug. 19.—Governor Woodrow Wilson returned from his Sunday retreat ready for a week of campaigning. Today he addressed the Plattdeutscher Volkfest Verein of Union Hill, N. J., at that place and on Tuesday will speak at Trenton at the annual outing of the Democratic league.

Wednesday the governor will attend the annual baby parade at Asbury Park, N. J. His engagements for the remainder of the week have not been announced, but it is likely that he will make at least two speeches.

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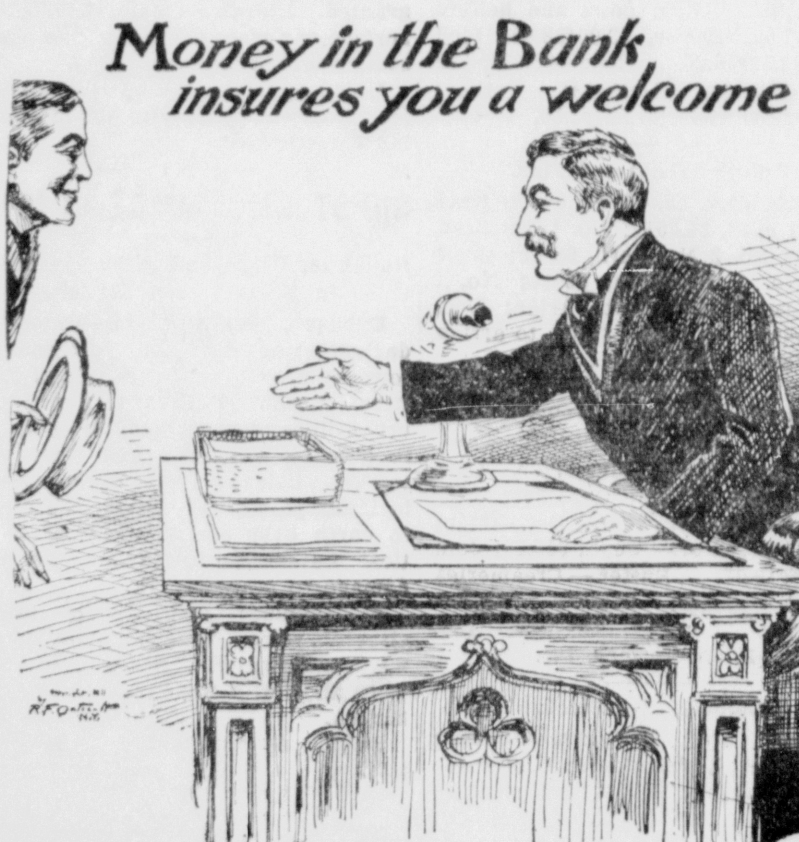
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August 18, maximum temperature 66 degrees, minimum temperature 57 degrees.
August 19, minimum temperature 53 degrees.

JUDGE HALLAM'S PETITION

Judge Oscar Hallam, of St. Paul, is a candidate for associate justice of the supreme court and the petition placing his name on the primary ballot is filed under the new primary election law, which provides that a person may himself file and announce his candidacy, or a number of electors (not less than 500 or more than 1,000) may by petition place a name upon the non-partisan ballot. Judge Hallam does not himself file, but his friends present him as a candidate in this way.

The petition was headed by more than 200 St. Paul lawyers, together with a very large number of St. Paul business men and representative citizens. It is also signed by representative men from other parts of the state.

Lists of names were sent in from Dodge, Fillmore, Brown, Faribault, Cottonwood, Lyon, Murray, Carver, Goodhue, Sibley, Dakota, Hennepin, Benton, Wright, Morrison, Redwood, Renfrew, Chippewa, Kandiyohi, Stearns, St. Louis, Isanti, Anoka, Kittling, Kilkenny, Roseau, Wilkin and other counties—considerably more than the limit of 1,000 allowed by law, all told.

These petitions are strictly non-partisan in their nature and signers, embracing men of all parties.

Judge Hallam was born on a farm in Linden, Wis., in 1865. He began the practice of law in St. Paul in 1889, and was elected to the district court in 1904 as a republican.

LOCAL NEWS NOTES

M. J. Ries, dry goods, 209 7th St. The city council meets this evening.

Carl Zapffe went to St. Paul this afternoon.

Bert Sabin came down from Mission this noon.

All kinds of shot guns for rent at Ransford Billiard Hall. 64-77

Dr. J. A. Thabes was called to Pillager this noon.

Julie Jamison, of Julesburg, is a Brainerd visitor today.

Mrs. Paul Perkins is visiting friends in Minneapolis.

Mrs. Bertha Bruce is visiting relatives in Dubuque, Iowa.

Mrs. R. Duffy, of Dekalb, Ill., is visiting her son, C. J. Duffy.

Awards for stores and residences at D. M. Clark & Co. 255tf

Rudolph Boppel went to St. Paul this afternoon to visit friends.

C. J. Connell, of Deerwood, was a Brainerd business visitor Saturday.

Miss Lizzie Petters, of St. Paul, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Lawrence.

Rent your guns from King for chicken day, September 7. 62tf

J. W. Koop returned this afternoon from a visit with relatives at St. Cloud.

August stock reduction sale, heavy mark downs, at Fred Luken's store.

Rev. Charlie Fox Davis went to Annandale today and will return on Thursday.

Rev. Archibald Cardle, of Burlington, Iowa, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Barker.

Imported Munchner Kindl Brau on draught at R. J. Holden's, 606 Front Street. 64-16

Attorney Wm. C. White, of Deerwood, was in the city attending to legal matters Saturday.

Miss Emma Clarke, of Minneapolis, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Ann Clarke for a short time.

Mrs. W. H. Strachan and children, who have been the guests of Mrs. W. E. Barker, returned home today.

Schmidt's bottle beer, famous for quality. Order a case. Telephone 164. John Coates Liquor Co. 208-7f

Mrs. C. Kinkade and Miss Katie Greshback, of Walker, visited their brother, Louis Greshback yesterday.

Mrs. C. A. Weyerhaeuser of Little Falls, Miss Bird of Chicago and Miss Bates of Minneapolis, visited in the city Saturday.

W. T. Cornelson, of Peoria, Ill., who has a cottage on the shore of Serpent lake near Deerwood, is in Brainerd today.

Imported Munchner Kindl Brau on draught at R. J. Holden's, 606 Front street. 64-16

Attorney L. M. Osborne and mother, Mrs. L. L. Osborne, of Virginia, are sojourning for the summer in a cottage at Hubert.

Galvanized pails 10c at Luken's store. 66tf

Mrs. M. E. Staples and daughter, Miss Mae Staples, have returned from a week's visit with relatives and friends in Bemidji.

W. D. McKay has returned from a lengthy visit on the coast, stopping at Seattle, Tacoma, Portland, Ashland and other cities.

EYES tested free, glasses fitted correctly at Ransford hotel August 21 and 22, by Dr. Burns, the eye specialist. 15-16-17-19

Miss Eloise Quier, who has been a guest at the Crosby summer home, Hickory Lodge, at Crosby, has returned home.—Duluth Herald.

The young ladies guild of the Episcopal church will meet at the home of Miss Mabel Harman, 1006 Fir street north, this evening at eight o'clock.

Mrs. L. C. Barnett and daughter, Miss Lucy of Hotel Superior have returned from a visit at Deerwood—Superior News of Duluth News Tribune.

Brainerd Auditorium to rent for dances and public meetings. Apply to J. S. Gardner or Prof. Colvin. 30tf

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Archibald, of Barrows, were in the city Sunday. Mr. Archibald is the new superintendent in charge of the Barrows mine.

Mrs. George H. Crosby and daughter, Miss Margaret, left Wednesday for the east and will return by way of the lakes September 1.—Duluth Herald.

Old Pilsner style Brainerd beer. Famous for quality and purity. Delivered to any part of the city. Phone 213. 259tf

Mrs. H. St. John, of Dayton, Ohio, arrived today. Her husband is connected with the Crown Scenic studios and the family will make their home in Brainerd.

Deputy Coroner D. E. Whitney returned today from an extended vacation at the home of his parents in Clearwater, Minn., and also a visit in St. Paul and Minneapolis.

FOR SALE—Late pocket maps of Crow Wing Co., 25c each. Keene & McFadden, Brainerd, Minn. 615-w1

S. L. McVey, of LaCrosse, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Flanagan, returned home this afternoon. Mrs. McVey will join him later, making the trip with Mr. and Mrs. Flanagan in their automobile.

Odd lot of dishes at greatly reduced prices at Luken's store. 66tf

Mrs. E. R. Glenn and little son, of Kansas City, Mo., who were sojourning at the lakes north of Brainerd, were in the city today. Mr. Glenn left on the afternoon train for home and Mrs. Glenn will go to Duluth to visit friends within a few days.



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SEIDEL TALKS OF MILWAUKEE

Former Mayor Tells What the Socialist Administration Accomplished There

AGAINST TRUST REGULATION

The LaFollette Brand of Regulation Seidel Said Did Not Improve Things in Wisconsin

Before an audience which filled main floor and gallery and even some of the boxes of the opera house, Emil Seidel, ex-mayor of Milwaukee, Wis., and vice presidential candidate on the socialist ticket, addressed a gathering of Brainerd, Deerwood, Crosby, Ironton and Crow Wing county people last night and gave his version of the socialist administration's work and results achieved while the party was in power in Milwaukee. Later Mr. Seidel took up questions of national scope and discussed them from the socialist point of view.

As the curtain rose the audience viewed the nicely decorated stage, the large American flag which floated from above and saw the speaker of the evening and the members of the reception committee. Mr. Seidel occupied a prominent place in the center.

Jay Henry Long introduced Mr. Seidel and said he was gratified to welcome such an illustrious citizen of a neighboring state to Brainerd. Milwaukee had become famous for something more than the amber fluid, it was known all over the country as the first city under socialist administration. Many thought socialism new, but it was as old as history.

Emil Seidel, the speaker of the evening, impresses one as an earnest and thoughtful man. His hair is brushed back from his forehead in wavy folds. Glasses surmount his nose. He speaks in a conversational tone, as though lecturing to a class in college. Seidel presents his arguments in language easily understood and embellished with pertinent, homely illustrations. He drives his points home in just such a quiet manner, never hysterically and never using any theatrical thunder or red fire.

In traveling about the country on his campaign tour he had met different people in different states living and working under different conditions. But certain things were alike, as far as that all had tales of suffering to relate and that all were interested in the new movement. They were specially interested in the socialist experiment at Milwaukee.

Milwaukee was a city of 400,000. The republicans and democrats for years had alternately given the city administration, and for years these had been what was termed business administrations.

"The business man in politics is supposed to be a remedy for many conditions, but the real trouble today is that we have too many business men in politics." He related how the socialists commenced their activities in Milwaukee about 18 years ago, how successive gains were made and eventually the mayor and most of the officers elected were socialists. An old friend of his family let him the day after the election and said: "Seidel, you must make good or we'll knock your block off."

The socialists fought against granting saloon licenses in the red light district of Milwaukee. They succeeded in having the practice discontinued. He assailed the idea that the socialists were free-lovers.

"You hear so much about the socialists being dreamers and rainbow makers. I wouldn't give two cents for a man who didn't dream. He's dead man," said the speaker.

Milwaukee, said he, never had an inventory nor a budget making system of any kind. All funds were kept in one pot. There was no intelligent plan of what the city wanted, needed or could afford to do.

Until the socialists came into power, said he, did the city have a complete system of business accounting and of municipal budgets. It took the dreamers to do what the business men had neglected. Today

New York has patterned after Milwaukee in this branch of municipal budget making.

Departments overlapping were wiped out. Some were eliminated and others added to, making them more efficient. A new department of economy and efficiency was organized. This Mr. Seidel likened to a municipal thermometer. There was figured out a system of cost units which gave the standing monthly of every department in the city, thus letting every tax payer and resident know just how each department stood, its cost of maintenance, its expenditures and receipts, its improvements made and other information.

Social questions were taken up which included child welfare work, the ascertaining of the cause of and reduction of infant mortality, women's wages, tuberculosis, recreation, high cost of living, city markets, etc.

When the high mortality of infants was examined into, an expert was selected to aid the commission. Thirty squares of the city were selected as an experiment. A baby pavilion was built in the center and it remained open every day for the reception of sick babies. Nurses visited the homes. Card indexes were kept of all babies in this section. On the cards were entered the names, ages, weight and other statistics of every child. The baby was weighed regularly each week, and so marked down on the card. If there was a falling off in weight, it meant sickness or trouble and the physician in charge was promptly notified. Lectures were given at the pavilion on the care of children, and nurses also instructed the parents. In six months the death rate among infants was reduced 54 per cent.

"Well, if you die all that good work, why weren't you re-elected?" Seidel answered by saying that the corporations and business men had been offended on different occasions.

The street railway company, said he, was made to pave between the tracks. The president of the street railway company was arrested when the company failed to sprinkle according to the ordinance in effect. The telephone company was offended because the administration bought its own telephone instruments at a cheaper price than the city had been annually charged as a rental. Grade crossings ordered in brought down the wrath of the railroads, said Seidel. The 51,000 inspections of factories and shops created more trouble. Three or more loan sharks who were making 150, 175 and 200 per cent interest were sent to jail. Liquor selling was stopped in the red light district. The friendship of all these people was lost.

"It is not so easy to retain the friendship of the other fellow when you start reforming him," said the speaker. The defeat in Milwaukee he laid to the combinations effected by the republicans and democrats, but even in defeat, said Seidel, the socialists gained almost 3,000 votes.

"The new progressive party," said Seidel, "does not care how much the people are skinned or scalped as long as they have a chance at the scalping."

Speaker inveighed against the concentration of wealth, the 60 per cent increase in the cost of living matched by a 20 per cent increase in wages, the decrease of 25 per cent in the standard of living.

As a remedy for this said he, Teddy Roosevelt proposed regulation and Bryan smashing the trusts. Neither offered a sure cure. It reminded him of a dog chasing an auto running 60 miles an hour and trying to regulate its speed. All the dog got for his trouble was dirt and gasoline stink in the nostrils.

"People want the means of production in their hands. It is restitution that we want, not regulation. Smashing the oil trust did not kill it. The trust made more money than before. The beef trust was fined \$60,000 and paid it by raising the price of beef on the people."

He flayed Roosevelt's articles on socialism in the Outlook. Constructive socialism, said Seidel, did not stand for violence. In his peroration he claimed that a new social structure was to be reared by the socialists, the human race was to be developed into a more perfect manhood, old age

COUNTY BONDS TO BE REFUNDED

\$100,000 Six Per Cent Brainerd & Northern Ry Co. Bonds are Taken up by

NEW FOUR PER CENT LOAN

State Board of Investment Loans County the Money—Saving Made in Interest Charges

The state board of investment has accepted the application of Crow Wing county for a loan of \$100,000 at four per cent, such money to be used to take up the \$100,000 bonds of the Brainerd & Northern Minnesota railway company bonds drawing six per cent interest and maturing September 1 of this year.

The old bonds bear the signatures of the then chairman of the county board, J. S. Gardner and the county auditor, Louis Tasche, then serving as auditor of this county.

The county commissioners had their application in early so that the state officials could arrange for the granting of the loan.

The new bonds will bear the signatures of J. A. Erickson, chairman of the board of county commissioners; S. R. Adair, county treasurer and J. P. Smart county auditor.

The annual interest on the new loan will be \$4,000, thus making a saving of \$2,000 annually in Crow Wing county's favor. Provision is made for the payment of the principal in installments of \$5,000 each, the first payment falling due in 1923.

would not go begging, there would be no weeping of widows and orphans and the dreams which the many have dreamed in the ages past would come true.

After the address a collection was taken up for a contribution to the socialist campaign fund.

FIVE CROPS IN MINNESOTA

Enormous Crop Yield Predicted for Minnesota This Year Exceeding 1911 by \$50,000,000

MAXFIELD'S FIGURES GIVEN

Oats, Wheat, Barley, Rye and Flax are Figured to Yield \$150,000,000

According to the estimates made by Immigration Commissioner Maxfield, five crops in Minnesota this year will yield the farmers \$50,000,000 more than in 1911. The value of the crops as based on the frequent reports which have reached the state office are as follows:

	1911	1912
Oats ---\$	26,000,000	\$ 40,000,000
Wheat ---\$	40,000,000	\$ 65,000,000
Barley ---\$	26,000,000	\$ 30,000,000
Rye ---\$	3,500,000	\$ 5,000,000
Flax ---\$	5,800,000	\$ 10,000,000

Totals ---\$101,300,000 \$150,000,000

The corn crop is a little backward and its value cannot well be estimated until later in the season, as much depends upon the date that heavy frost comes. Last year the crop was worth \$40,000,000.

TO SPEAK ON CHINA

Albert E. Andre, Formerly of Brainerd, to Lecture at Swedish Baptist Church

Albert E. Andre, formerly a resident of Brainerd and for 14 years a missionary in India, Tibet, China and Japan, will deliver an illustrated lecture on "China" at the Swedish Baptist church this evening. A small charge for admission will be made. Beautiful stereopticon views, 150 in number, will be shown. All are asked to come and bring their friends with them to hear the inspiring relation of his personal experiences and to see the wonderful sights of the Orient.

Mr. Andre was raised in Brainerd and always holds this city in pleasant remembrance. He left this city in 1892. His daughter, Evangeline, now aged 17, was born in Brainerd on the first return of the family from India. His wife, mother and family are visiting in the city today and are renewing acquaintances among Brainerd residents.

On Sunday morning and evening Mr. Andre spoke at the Swedish Mission church. In the afternoon he was the chief speaker at the missionary meeting of the Swedish Baptist church. He is a clear, eloquent and forceful speaker, and his lecture is well worth hearing.

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IT PAYS TO ADVERTISE

BRAINERD 3, LITTLE FALLS 6

Special to Dispatch:—

Little Falls, Minn., August 19.—The Brainerd team, that aggregation of ball players who have become so thoroughly endowed with the belief that they were invincible because they have won nearly all of the games played this season and lead the league by a good margin, were humbled by the Blues Sunday. Cook, the idol of the Brainerd fans who never before failed them, was rudely treated by the boys in blue and finally sent out the S. O. S. call to be relieved by Alderman. Cook worked for seven innings and was hit for 10 safe bingles, five of which came in the fifth inning and resulted in four runs.

Stoll, who deserted the Blues several weeks ago to go to Fargo, was at his old position Sunday with his familiar, "How's that ump." His drives when drives are needed, and his habit of stumbling when a grounder comes his way were in evidence. Stoll drove in three of the runs and scored two himself. Dierick, who preceded him at the bat also got two hits, one of which was over the left field fence. Captain Lauerman secured three hits, driving in two runs.

Dominick pitched in his old form and should have had a shut out. He allowed only five hits and did not walk a man. Alderman, who relieved Cook held the Blues scoreless for the two innings that he pitched.

Brainerd	ab r h po a e
Callan, cf	4 0 0 3 0 1
Rogers, 1b	4 0 1 9 0 0
B. Roderick, c	4 0 1 7 0 0
Cook, p-rf	4 0 0 0 0 0
Templeton, 3b	4 1 1 2 2 0
Sheffo, lf	4 0 0 2 0 0
Erickson, ss	4 2 2 0 3 0
I. Roderick, 2b	4 0 0 0 2 0
Kalland, rf	2 0 0 1 0 0
Alderman, p	2 0 0 0 2 0
Totals	36 3 5 24 9 1

Little Falls	ab r h po a e
Howard, c	4 0 0 10 2 0
Thiegs, ss	4 1 2 2 1 1
Dierick, 3b	4 2 2 0 3 1
Stoll, 2b	4 2 2 2 3 3
Greisch, cf	4 1 1 2 0 0
Lauerman, 1b	4 0 3 6 0 2
Kingen, lf	4 0 0 3 0 0
Berg, rf	3 0 0 3 1 0
Dominick, p	3 0 1 0 1 1
Totals	34 6 10 27 10 8

Summary—Earned runs, L. F. 6, Brainerd 0; two base hits, Stoll, Dierick, Templeton; three base hit, Greisch; struck out by Dominick 5, by Cook 5, by Alderman 1; hits off Dominick 5, off Cook 10 in 6 innings, off Alderman 1 in 2 innings; left on bases, Little Falls 3, Brainerd 6; stolen bases 1, Roderick, Lauerman; umpire, T. Hayes, Royalton.

A Record Game

Special to Dispatch:—

Sauk Rapids, Minn., August 19.—The Sauk Rapids-Royalton game was a pitchers' battle with the score 0 to 0 at the end of the 15th inning, the game being called on account of darkness. Jake Thielman pitched for Benton County and Dretschko for the visitors. The game will stand as a record for the northwest. Both pitchers were in splendid form and neither side was able to get a single score across the plate.

STRENUOUS TIMES

Forty Years Ago the "Blueberry War" Was in Full Blast and Brainerd Was Excited

In the old files reproduced in the St. Paul Pioneer Press' Sunday edition reference is made as follows to the "Blueberry War" which raged at and near Brainerd, forty years ago.

Governor Austin ordered out Companies A and B, First regiment, Minnesota National Guard, for the protection of the people of Brainerd. Two Indians accused of the murder of Miss McArthur, near Brainerd, had been taken from the jail and lynched by whites. Soon afterward about 200 Chippewas, bedecked with feathers and war paint, appeared near the town demanding vengeance upon the lynchers, according to a report telegraphed to St. Paul. When the guardsmen arrived in Brainerd, they found the town quiet and the Indians friendly. General Flower and Captain Bunker smoked the pipe of peace with a couple of the chiefs, and the "Blueberry war" was over.

Subsequently, forty years ago, Governor Austin wrote a letter to the sheriff and prosecuting attorney of Crow Wing county demanding that they bring to justice those who participated in the lynching of the two Indians accused of the murder of Miss McArthur.

Bids For Papering and Painting

The building committee of the county board will receive bids up to Saturday, August 24th, 1912, at 8 p. m. for papering 5 rooms at the court house also the hall on the lower floor, and varnishing the wood work in aforesaid rooms.

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"MICHAEL'S"

ROOSEVELT AT STATE FAIR

Special to Dispatch:—

State Fair Grounds, Hameline, Minn., August 19.—Colonel Roosevelt will be the guest of the Minnesota State Fair management all day Thursday, September 5. The following telegram has just been received by Secretary J. C. Simpson: "New York—Roosevelt schedule just completed. He will arrive at 7:30 A. M. Thursday Sept. 5, leaving there at 10:30 that evening. You can make this public. Joseph M. Dixon."

Plans for the distinguished guest's entertainment will be made by the fair managers as soon as possible. The State Fair's reception committee consisting of C. P. Craig of Duluth, Eli S. Warner of St. Paul, W. W. Sixright of Hutchinson and E. J. Stillwell of Minneapolis will confer with Judge Purdy and the other men prominent in the Roosevelt movement in Minneapolis and will settle on the details. It is understood that Col. Roosevelt will make the keynote speech of the campaign on the Minnesota State Fair grounds Thursday either at the grand stand or in the livestock pavilion.

NEW SUPERINTENDENT

Conrad Raps, of Iron Belt, Wis., to Take Charge of the Crosby Schools

Conrad Raps, superintendent of the Iron Belt schools, has accepted the position of superintendent of schools at Crosby, Minn., for the coming school year. Crosby is a new town on the Cuyuna iron range that is rapidly forging to the front. Mr. Raps is a graduate of the Parker high school, Clarence, New York, and received his A. B. degree from the University of Michigan in 1909. He has had charge of the Iron Belt schools for the past three years and has been very successful in his efforts there, having raised the school from a state graded school to a four year high school. Iron Belt people were very anxious to have Mr. Raps continue in charge of their schools and had offered him a better salary than he has been receiving, but as he had already made a contract with the Crosby people he felt duty bound to keep it.—Montreal River Miner, Hurley, Wis.

Prenuptial Party

Moline, Ill., August 19.—A delightful prenuptial party was given Tuesday evening, August 13, by Miss Maebelle Johnson in honor of her cousin, Miss Olive Anderson, whose marriage to Arthur Gustafson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Gustafson, of Brainerd, will take place August 28 at the home of the bride's parents, 407 25th street this city. The affair was in the nature of a granite shower for the bride. The house was appropriately decorated in hearts and flowers, the colors being pink and white, the chosen colors of the bride to be. Music and games added to the enjoyment of the evening and delicious refreshments were served at a late hour. Mr. Gustafson, having served his apprenticeship as pipe fitter in the Northern Pacific railway shops at Brainerd, is now employed at the Rock Island shops at Silvio, Ill.

M "Our baby was sick and we tried several kinds of foods, which did not agree with him. At five months he weighed twelve pounds and we thought he would not live. A friend told us to try Mellin's Food. We commenced using it and he began to mend and at eight months old he weighed twenty-five pounds and is a picture of health. We feel that we owe his life to Mellin's Food."
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Reading -----Mrs. A. F. Sorenson
Saxophone solo -----Mr. H. Branch
Reading -----Miss Esther Belmont
Solo -----Robert Crust
Violin solo -----Miss Effie Drexler
Reading -----Miss Bertha Mahlum
Cornet Solo -----Mr. J. A. Loom
Piano Solo -----Miss Frances Quinn
Humorous Reading -----Mr. Bolles

A hearty invitation is extended to all to enjoy this social-musical evening. Program will start at 8:15. Silver collection will be taken.

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FIELDING AVERAGES

Rogers and Murphy Stand First in First and Second Base Fielding—Roderick's Showing

The Little Falls Transcript publishes the following fielding averages of the Central Minnesota Baseball association players, taken by position. It will be seen that Brainerd has scored several firsts and seconds.

Bad Roderick stands second among the catchers with Howard of Little Falls.

Player	Club	G	C	CA	E	PCT
Howard, Little Falls	-----	12	139	136	3	.978
B. Roderick, Brainerd	-----	12	110	105	5	.955
Kinkie, Royaltown	-----	4	39	37	2	.950
Robertson, Benton Co.	-----	4	41	38	3	.927

CATCHERS

Thielman, Benton Co.	-----	11	41	39	2	.951
Cook, Brainerd	-----	10	36	34	2	.942
Dretnick, Little Falls	-----	14	45	42	3	.933
Dretnick, Royaltown	-----	14	11	10	1	.909

PITCHERS

Rogers, Brainerd	-----	4	42	40	2	.976
Galerneault, Benton Co.	-----	7	64	62	2	.969
R. McGonagle, Royaltown	-----	7	51	49	2	.961
Merrill, Benton Co.	-----	3	25	24	1	.960
Lauerman, Little Falls	-----	15	140	129	11	.921

FIRST BASE FIELDING

Murphy, Brainerd	-----	3	23	23	0	1000
Berg, Little Falls	-----	5	20	19	1	.950
Stoll, Little Falls	-----	10	31	27	4	.871
Heinzel, Benton Co.	-----	7	28	23	5	.821
Bell, Royaltown	-----	8	38	31	7	.816
Van Eiten, Benton Co.	-----	3	8	6	2	.750

SECOND BASE FIELDING

Hughes, Royaltown	-----	4	9	9	0	1000
Templeton, Brainerd	-----	12	46	41	5	.891
Murn, Benton Co.	-----	11	33	25	8	.788
Kingen, Little Falls	-----	7	24	17	7	.708
Theigs, Little Falls	-----	3	9	6	3	.666

THIRD BASE FIELDING

Hughes, Royaltown	-----	3	16	14	2	.875
Theigs, Little Falls	-----	11	43	35	8	.814
Erickson, Brainerd	-----	10	37	28	9	.757
Skeates, Benton Co.	-----	3	8	6	2	.750
Kingen, Little Falls	-----	3	4	2	2	.500
Pappenfuss, Benton Co.	-----	4	8	4	4	.500

SHORT-STOP FIELDING

Skeates, Benton Co.	-----	6	5	5	0	1000
Pappenfuss, Benton Co.	-----	5	8	8	0	1000
Ahles, Royaltown	-----	7	13	13	0	1000
Merrill, Benton Co.	-----	6	13	13	0	1000
Kidder, Little Falls	-----	4	3	3	0	1000
Doty, Royaltown	-----	4	1	1	0	1000
Greisch, Little Falls	-----	15	30	28	2	.933
Selke, Benton Co.	-----	9	14	13	1	.928
Shelfo, Brainerd	-----	12	13	12	1	.923
Kalland, Brainerd	-----	5	10	9	1	.900
Callan, Brainerd	-----	11	18	16	2	.889
Berg, Little Falls	-----	8	8	7	1	.875
R. McGonagle, Royaltown	-----	8	11	9	2	.818
Tanner, Little Falls	-----	8	16	13	3	.812
H. Heinzel, Benton Co.	-----	5	5	4	1	.800
Long, Brainerd	-----	3	5	4	1	.800
Newman, Little Falls	-----	9	9	7	2	.777

OUTFIELDERS' RECORD

Skeates, Benton Co.	-----	6	5	5	0	1000
Pappenfuss, Benton Co.	-----	5	8	8	0	1000
Ahles, Royaltown	-----	7	13	13	0	1000
Merrill, Benton Co.	-----	6	13	13	0	1000
Kidder, Little Falls	-----	4	3	3	0	1000
Doty, Royaltown	-----	4	1	1	0	1000
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JUST LIKE GHOSTS

The Norwegian Vardogrs and Their Curious Warnings.

A STUDY IN PSYCHIC FORCE.

Voices and Sounds and Visions That Foretell to Those Properly Attuned to the Phenomenon the Speedy Coming of Relatives or Friends.

In Norway, or at least in certain parts of it, there is a well known phenomenon, instances of which are of frequent occurrence, known locally by various names, but in the east of the country commonly called vardogr. By this term is understood a certain property, attaching itself to particular persons, by which their arrival at a particular place, most frequently their own home, is announced beforehand by distinctive sounds, such as are usually or naturally made by the person in question.

It is only a limited number of persons to whom this property is attached who "have a vardogr," as the phrase is, and the premonitory sounds are not always heard nor by all persons. Very often it is only members of the family or near relatives who notice them at all. Much more rarely the person is seen instead of being heard some time before his or her arrival. It is to be particularly noted that the idea of the vardogr is not one which is confined to the uneducated classes. It is equally recognized and its reality admitted by persons of education and culture.

The following interesting account was given by Miss P., a schoolteacher in the town of Drammen:

"It is nothing unusual to find people in Norway who have a vardogr—that is to say, that one can hear or see them before they really come in person. Such cases are found in nearly every family, but in some more frequently than in others. In the cases of my father and eldest brother it happens so often that we do not think it in the least remarkable. I remember one particular instance which I shall relate."

"We expected my father home from a long voyage and got word that he had arrived at a little harbor in the fjord, but at the same time there came a message saying that unfortunately he could not get home for several days, as the ice prevented him from coming up. We were very much disappointed, because we were just then about to have a family gathering. When we had assembled in the evening we talked about how delightful it would have been if father could have come. My mother then took a book and read aloud, while we children worked, when we all heard the kitchen door open and father's well known step come in. He put down a box which he was carrying, and we heard him speak to the servant, who sat in a side room."

"Oh, there is papa," shouted three or four of us together and rushed out to the kitchen to be the first to wel-

come him. But there was no one there. We ran in to the servant, but she had heard nothing. We thought that perhaps he had gone out again, but no—there was no one. So distinctly had we all heard him, however, that my youngest sister, who was rather nervous, burst into tears, thinking it must be a warning that something had happened to him. It was the first time she had heard his vardogr, but my mother, who was well accustomed to it, said very calmly:

"Go to bed, children. It was only papa's vardogr, and now we know for certain that he will be home for tomorrow."

"Sure enough, an hour afterward we had him safely home. Now, since he has got older, and especially since he gave up going to sea, we hear him much more seldom. But in his youth his mother heard him constantly and sometimes even heard him knock on her window and call her by name. Sometimes it woke her by night, and she would rise and go to open the door, but there was no one there the first time. An hour later he would actually come. That happened particularly when he was expected home from sea."

Another lady, Miss R., gave the following account, which shows that the vardogr does not merely announce what might naturally be expected, but conveys impressions of facts quite unknown to the person hearing it:

"It was in the year 1901. I was staying in Christiania with my uncle and aunt, who had no children of their own. Uncle and aunt went away for two days and intended to come home between 11 and 12 in the evening. The servant girl had gone home that night, so I was alone in the house."

"I was just about to undress when I heard them come. I heard the sound of the street door, heard them come upstairs and open the hall door and talk to each other. It seemed to me that uncle carried something heavy, and I heard them talk about 'being careful.' I wondered what they could have brought home with them. I expected to hear them open the room door and go in, but suddenly all was quiet."

"About ten minutes after I heard exactly the same noises. This time they really came, and they brought a little cousin with them. She was fast asleep, and they had to be careful not to wake her. Next morning I told them what I heard, and uncle said: "That is not so wonderful. You have only heard a vardogr." Innumerable other instances just as striking might be cited.—W. A. Cragie in Blackwood's.

Nothing to Soften the Blow.

A west end woman called the attention of her husband to a little baby which was trying to sleep on the porch of his home on the opposite side of the street.

"It's lying on the bare boards, isn't it?" he observed.

"Yes; they haven't even placed a rug for the little chap to rest his head on."

The husband took another look.

"And what do you think of that?" he ejaculated. "They haven't even painted the boards." — Youngstown Telegram.

LUCKY PETERS

He Deserved the Name

By CLARISSA MACKIE

The men standing around the general store smiled knowingly as Frank Peters stepped to the postoffice window.

"Any mail for me, captain?" asked Frank pleasantly.

"Same as usual, Frank," returned the postmaster, shoving a huge pile of mail matter through the narrow opening. "Seems to me you're crowding the mails some, ain't you?"

Frank complacently filled his pockets with letters, circulars and newspapers while his arms were burdened with several bulky mail order catalogues.

"I hope you don't mind handling it," he grinned. "If you can take care of large and valuable mail matter like this here," he slapped his pockets, "why, we'll have so much confidence in you that you'll go through next term for representative. What say, boys?"

"That's right," nodded the group soberly, reminded of their power of investiture.

"That's all right so far as it goes," squeaked Captain Lemming from behind the window, where his nutcracker face was thrust against the little grating. "That's all right enough, only you can't blame me for having doubts when there's a plot to 'go in' on right here around my stove—how I'm to run for representative while Hannibal Flamm tries to get the postoffice! When I'm defeated on the state ticket what'll I do without my postoffice job, eh?"

There was an embarrassed silence among the voters of Little River, while Captain Lemming surveyed them fiercely from the window, followed by a sigh of relief when the door opened and Capt. Webb bounced in.

Hannibal Flamm was pushed back from her pink, excited face, and one plump hand shook a postal card in the face of the postmaster.

"I'd like to know," she was beginning aggressively when the men of Little River thankfully seized the opportunity afforded by the threatening storm and quietly left the store to stand on the front stoop and watch Frank Peters unhitch his sorrel mare.

He tossed the catalogues on the seat of the light wagon and sprang in. The sorrel twitched her ears, waved her scanty brush of tail and started off. Frank turned to shout back at the spectators, "Anybody going my way want a ride?"

Hannibal Flamm detached herself from the group and waved a restraining hand. "You can take me along, Frank," he said, and laboriously lifted his 200 pounds weight to the seat beside the younger man.

They drove down the village street and turned into a road that bordered the winding river. The trees arched overhead and the hot sun brought out the sweetness of ripened fruits and late summer flowers.

"Mighty pretty weather," murmured Frank Peters, his gray eyes contentedly resting on the scenery.

"Hum!" murmured Hannibal reflectively. "Too bad how you was stung on getting this mare, Frank."

"Never mind," returned Peters cheerfully. "Better luck next time."

"It's all right to say that, but how in thunder are you ever going to get rid of her?"

"I'm not going to get rid of her. She suits me all right."

"I guess you're the first Peters that ever drove a spavined horse."

"I guess I be."

Hannibal Flamm was Frank's brother-in-law, and he took advantage of the relationship to make sundry complimentary remarks regarding the shortsightedness of Mr. Peters and to remind him with stinging emphasis of the many times that unlucky gentleman had been bitten in various business ventures.

"You can't even plant early June peas without having 'em come up cowed," he ended complacently.

"I bought those last early June peas from you, Han," reminded Frank mildly. "You oughtn't to have been surprised if they come up cabbages."

"Hum!" coughed Hannibal, and Frank knew that so far as his brother-in-law was concerned the subject was dropped. But the arraignment had awakened him to self defense.

"I may be unlucky or a fool or whatever you fellows want to call me," said Frank dully. "Oh, yes; of course I know they all call me 'Lucky Peters' behind my back just because I'm so darned unlucky, but I'll win out some day and have the laugh on all you funny ones. What if I did undersign a note for Dave Raybold and had to pay up when he skipped out? I thought he was straight, and he went to school with me. That did me \$1,500. I couldn't help my barn burning down the day after I got all my hay in. It wasn't my fault because I'd been too busy to renew the insurance and lost \$1,000 on that. I bought this horse off Jeremiah Peebles, and you know as well as I do that he's a deacon in the church, and I'd have made him pay up the damage if Mrs. Peebles hadn't come and cried me off. I'm too easy, that's what's the matter with me. All you folks know it, too, whether it's fire insurance or spavined horses or cowed peas."

"Hum!" ejaculated Hannibal fiercely.

"Hum all you want to, Han, but don't call me unlucky yet till I die. They say luck changes every seven years, and I'm forty-two this month, so I've had seven years of bad luck, and now maybe it'll turn for good."

Cheerfulness returned to Frank's pleasant countenance, and relief was spread over the broad features of his sister's husband.

He pulled the sorrel mare to a standstill before a brown painted gate, and Hannibal lumbered heavily to the ground. The screen door opened, and a woman appeared on the front porch

of the house. It was Frank Peters' sister, Mary. She was a mild, pleasant featured woman, very much like Frank in disposition. Otherwise she could never have lived happily with that stout pessimist, Hannibal.

"Howdy, Frank!" she called, coming down to the gate with a napkin covered plate in her hand. "I've been baking today, and I made a berry pie for you." She handed up the pie, and he peeped under the covering and sniffed at his lips.

"That's a dandy, Mary," he smiled, patting her plump hand affectionately. "I don't know what I'd do for pie if you didn't remember me."

"You can count on a pie once or twice a week till you get married," laughed Mary as he drove off.

"Now you're putting a premium on my keeping single," he called back.

As he drove up the slight incline that led to his own house, which was next to Flamm's place, he was thinking about this subject, which was ever a popular topic with his sister. It was true that he would be forty-two this month, and as yet he was not married, and there seemed no prospect of his ever entering the matrimonial state. In Little River he had the reputation of being unlucky, but the ill fortune which had seemed to attend his affairs the past ten years might have been attributed more to his whole souled generosity and unselfishness rather than a mere trick of fate.

Once he had been engaged to marry a girl, and she had died on the eve of their wedding. That was when he was very young. A few years later he again wooed a Little River girl, only to lose her to his faithless friend, Dave Raybold, whose note he had also endorsed. Afterward it developed that the treacherous David had spent the borrowed money on an extensive wedding trip, which Frank Peters unluckily had to pay for.

Inside his bachelor abode Frank proceeded to prepare his dinner with skill worthy of a trained domestic. His kitchen was as neat and cosy as a ship's galley, and the table at which he sat down would have excited the admiration of any housewife. It was not until he had concluded his meal and washed the dishes that he sat down to open the pile of mail matter which he had found at the postoffice.

First he sorted out the letters which might be of interest. There were only two, one bearing a Chicago postmark, the other being from his older brother in Nebraska. The circulars and catalogues he left for idle moments.

A perusal of the Chicago letter left him open mouthed and staring. In brief it stated that Messrs. Furrow & Sharp desired the pleasure of meeting Mr. Peters at their office in the Mammoth building at an early date in reference to his interest in the estate of the late David Raybold of Chicago.

"Frank's gone to Chicago," announced Mary Flamm to her husband the next morning. "He wouldn't say why he was going." She looked worried.

"Hum!" snorted Hannibal Flamm contemptuously. "It's an easy guess he's going to buy a gold brick."

When Frank Peters entered the office of Furrow & Sharp that morning he felt a little shock at meeting Nellie Raybold there. She was pale and worn, but some magic within her had managed to retain a certain girlish look that kept the years at bay. Frank decided that it was the black gown and veil that made her look different, and as his hand inclosed hers in a warm, firm grasp a pink flush invaded her paleness and made her like the Nellie of old who had blushed at his approach.

Mr. Furrow, a pompous little man with a throaty voice, solemnly read over the last will and testament of David Raybold. It seemed that David had come into a legacy a short time before his death, and such was his remorse at the manner he had treated his old friend, that he had in his inconsequent way, left everything to Frank Peters except the widow's portion of one-third of his estate, which was small enough.

When Frank Peters heard this his anger knew no bounds. He flatly refused to accept the inheritance and only after a long consultation with Mr. Furrow would he consent to hold the money long enough to make the transfer to the widow whom he stoutly declared should have it. The settlement of this business occupied many days and necessitated a good many interviews with Nellie.

At last he returned to Little River, younger looking, happier and more alert than he had been for ten years. "Don't call me 'Lucky Peters' when you want to make a joke," he admonished his friends with twinkling eyes. "Nowadays, when you call me that, you call me right—understand?"

They didn't understand fully until eighteen months afterward he returned to his newly furnished home and brought Nellie Raybold with him. "That's why I'm 'Lucky Peters,'" he smiled proudly. "No man can look at her and say I'm unlucky."

"You're both lucky," half cried Mary Flamm as she kissed the bride.

But Hannibal Flamm, who had not been successful in his efforts to oust Captain Lemming from the postoffice, wrung Frank's hand and said, "Hum," very significantly.

A Wideawake Prisoner.

"The jury has unanimously found you guilty, prisoner at the bar," said the judge dryly, "but for some reason unknown to me they have recommended you to the mercy of the court. In view of your crime you must be hanged, but in view of that recommendation to mercy you may choose the method of hanging."

"All right, your honor," replied the prisoner. "If that's the case I guess I'll be hanged in effigy."—Harper's.

Allayed His Fever.

Old Bachelor—Whatever looking so blue about, old man? De Chappie—Reason enough. Last night I dramatically told Doc De Rocks that I was consumed with love for his daughter, and the old chump prescribed quinine for a fever and said he'd send the bill later.—Boston Record.

Insomnia.

Deep breathing is one of the best cures for insomnia, as it draws the blood from the brain to the lungs.

Relieved.

Editor—There is a sameness about your poetry, I regret to say. Magazine Poet (hastily)—What? Editor—A sameness. Magazine Poet—Oh! That's better. I thought you said sameness!—Puck.

WANTS

Notices under this head will be charged for at the rate of one cent a word for the first insertion and on half a cent a word for each subsequent insertion, strictly cash in advance, but no ad will be taken for less than fifteen cents.

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WANTED—Dressmaking at No. 4 Pearce block. Mrs. Johnson. 66t6p

WANTED—House maid. Good wages. Enquire Mrs. J. K. Pearce millinery store. 63tf

WANTED—50 men and women to bring their shoes to the Wide Awake Shoe Shop. Same old stand. 62t12p

WANTED—Man to cut clean all wood on my Red Sand lake farm west of river, taking wood as pay. Owner will buy wood when corded. Also want man with ditching machine to ditch land. \$100 job. John Berry, Brainerd. 66t2

FOR RENT.

ROOMS for rent. Gentleman preferred. 422 7th street No. 64t3p

FOR RENT—Boarding house 810 Front St., after August 22. Enquire Fred S. Parker. 45tf

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Used automobile, Albert Angel. 67tf

FOR SALE—Light driving team at 1319 Oak St. 64-tsw1

FOR SALE—Team of draft horses, 5 years old, wt. 2500. J. W. Stearns, 116 N. E. 2nd Ave. 62-t6

FOR SALE—Full blooded Poland China pigs, 8 weeks old. Address F. S. Parker, Brainerd, Minn. 48t

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Two autos. Will trade either for anything that has money value or sell for cash. W. E. Lively. 66t6-w1p

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FOUND—Purse containing sum of money at Hubert. Owner call Bye & Peterson. 62t4

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